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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*Group:* 2821 }  
*Confirmation No.:* 9662 }  
*Application No.:* 10/667,571 }  
*Invention:* DIMMING CONTROL }  
TECHNIQUES USING SELF- }  
EXCITED GATE CIRCUITS }  
*Applicant:* Hui, et al. }  
*Filed:* September 22, 2003 }  
*Attorney*  
*Docket:* 34590-73504 }  
*Examiner:* Wilson Lee }

**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time in order to provide copendency between this application and a continuing application which is being filed contemporaneously herewith. Conditioned upon the grant of a filing date to the accompanying continuing application, this application will be, and is hereby, abandoned.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee for filing this petition for extension of time to Applicants' undersigned counsel's deposit account 10-0435 with reference to file 34590-73504. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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